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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re Application of:* Scott A. Rawson

*Docket No.:* IR- 2819(MF)

*Serial No.:* 09/829,883

*Group Art Unit:* 3683

*Filed:* April 10, 2001

*Examiner:* Bradley T. King

*Entitled:* "Vibration Isolation Member"

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January 17, 2003

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2002, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please Amend the claims as follows:

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A single resilient member iso-elastic vibration isolation member comprising:

- (a) an inner member comprising a frustoconical seat having an angled surface and an outer periphery diameter D';
- (b) an outer member comprising a base and a shroud that extends away from the base, the shroud adapted to overlay the inner member, said shroud having an angled segment with an inner surface, said angled segment inner surface oriented substantially parallel to said angled surface of said frustoconical seat, said shroud defining an

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